1 2 3 4 5 6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 8 SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 9 10 11 SAMUEL LIAM ZOCH, 08-1481 JLS (CAB) Civil No. Booking #8139011, 12 Plaintiff, 13 DER DISMISSING CIVIL 14 VS. R FAILING TO PAY ING FEE REOUIRED 15 BY 28 U.S.C. § 1914(a) SD COUNTY SHERIFF'S MEDICAL; AND/OR FAILING TO MOVE SD COUNTY JAIL. 16 TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS **PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)** Defendants. 17 18 19 Plaintiff, currently detained at George F. Bailey Detention Facility in San Diego, California, and proceeding pro se, has filed a civil rights Complaint pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 20 21 § 1983. I. 22 FAILURE TO PAY FILING FEE OR REQUEST IFP STATUS 23 24 All parties instituting any civil action, suit or proceeding in a district court of the United 25 States, except an application for writ of habeas corpus, must pay a filing fee of \$350. See 28 U.S.C. § 1914(a). An action may proceed despite a party's failure to pay this filing fee only if 26 27 the party is granted leave to proceed in forma pauperis ("IFP") pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a). 28 ///

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1176, 1177 (9th Cir. 1999).

Plaintiff has neither prepaid the \$350 filing fee required to commence a civil action, nor has submitted a Motion to Proceed IFP. Therefore, this case is subject to immediate dismissal pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1914(a).

See Andrews v. Cervantes, 493 F.3d 1047, 1051 (9th Cir. 2007); Rodriguez v. Cook, 169 F.3d

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**CONCLUSION AND ORDER** 

II.

For the reasons set forth above, the Court hereby:

- (1) **DISMISSES** this action sua sponte without prejudice for failing to pay the \$350 filing fee or file a Motion to Proceed IFP pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1914(a) and 1915(a); and
- (2) **GRANTS** Plaintiff **forty five** (**45**) days leave from the date this Order is "Filed" to: (a) prepay the entire \$350 civil filing fee in full; *or* (b) complete and file a Motion to proceed IFP which includes a certified copy of his trust account statement for the 6-month period preceding the filing of his Complaint pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(2) and S.D. CAL. CIVLR 3.2(b).

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Clerk of the Court shall provide Plaintiff with the Court's approved form "Motion and Declaration in Support of Motion to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis*." If Plaintiff fails to either prepay the \$350 civil filing fee or complete and submit the enclosed Motion to Proceed IFP within 45 days, this action shall remain dismissed without prejudice and without further Order of the Court.

DATED: August 18, 2008

Honorable Janis L. Sammartino United States District Judge